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Subject: Re: ON DEADLINE: CBS EVENING NEWS: TEXAS SUPERFUND SITES
Date: Monday, September 4, 2017 7:42:47 PM

Anyone can look at the web and find this info. I am neutral on the list. Why not?

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On Sep 4, 2017, at 4:11 PM, Bowman, Liz <Bowman.Liz@epa.gov> wrote:

Sam, Ken & Kell – We are getting a lot of requests to distribute a list of all 41 sites. As David mentions, this has not been distributed. What are your thoughts on sending?

Thanks – Liz

From: Gray, David
Sent: Monday, September 4, 2017 5:05 PM
To: Bowman, Liz <Bowman.Liz@epa.gov>
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Subject: RE: ON DEADLINE: CBS EVENING NEWS: TEXAS SUPERFUND SITES

Liz,

Here is the list of all the sites potentially impacted by the Hurricane. The column refers to if additional follow up assessments are needed at the site. As you are aware, we have looked at two sites near Corpus Christi. The other assessments started today.

We have not distributed this entire list before.

David

TEXAS	
SITE NAME	
ALCOA (Point Comfort) / LAVACA BAY	No
BAILEY WASTE DISPOSAL	Yes
BRINE SERVICE CO.	Yes
BRIO REFINING INC.	No
CONROE CREOSOTING COMPANY	No
CRYSTAL CHEMICAL CO.	No
DIXIE OIL PROCESSORS INC.	No
FALCON REFINERY	Yes
FRENCH, LTD.	Yes
GENEVA INDUSTRIES / FUHRMANN ENERGY	Yes
GULFCO MARINE MAINTENANCE	Yes
HARRIS (FARLEY STREET)	No
HART CREOSOTING	No
HIGHLANDS ACID PIT	Yes
JASPER CREOSOTING	No
JONES ROAD GROUNDWATER PLUME	No
MALONE SERVICES COMPANY	Yes
MANY DIVERSIFIED INTERESTS, INC	No
MOTCO, INC.	No
NORTH CAVALCADE STREET	No
PALMER BARGE LINE	No
PATRICK BAYOU	Yes
PETRO-CHEMICAL SYSTEMS, INC. (Turtle Bayou)	Yes
SAN JACINTO RIVER WASTE PITS	Yes
SIKES DISPOSAL PITS	No
SOL LYNN / INDUSTRIAL TRANSFORMERS	No
SOUTH CAVALCADE STREET	No
STAR LAKE CANAL	No
STATE MARINE OF PORT ARTHUR	No
TEX-TIN CORP.	No

TRIANGLE CHEMICAL COMPANY	Yes
UNITED CREOSOTING CO.	No
US OIL RECOVERY	Yes
LOUISIANA	
AMERICAN CREOSOTE DERIDDER	No
D.L. MUD, INC.	No
EVR-WOOD TREATING/EVANGELINE REFINING COMPANY	No
GULF COAST VACUUM SERVICES	No
GULF STATE UTILITIES (North Ryan Street)	No
MALLARD BAY LANDING BULK PLANT	No
PAB OIL & CHEMICAL SERVICE	No
SBA SHIPYARD	No

From: Bowman, Liz
Sent: Monday, September 04, 2017 3:36 PM
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Subject: FW: ON DEADLINE: CBS EVENING NEWS: TEXAS SUPERFUND SITES

Can you please gather this information?

From: Flickinger, Ian [<mailto:FlickingerI@cbsnews.com>]
Sent: Monday, September 4, 2017 4:31 PM
To: Bowman, Liz <Bowman.Liz@epa.gov>
Cc: Gray, David <gray.david@epa.gov>; Graham, Amy <graham.amy@epa.gov>; Grantham, Nancy <Grantham.Nancy@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: ON DEADLINE: CBS EVENING NEWS: TEXAS SUPERFUND SITES

Hi Liz,

I'm sorry to bother you. Thank you again for your help earlier.

The team is also hoping to get the names of the other 28 locations that were impacted by the storm, but not flooded, to show the extent of the storm's damage.

Is there anyway you would be able to provide those as well?

Thanks so much.

Ian

From: Flickinger, Ian
Sent: Monday, September 4, 2017 1:54 PM
To: 'Bowman, Liz'
Cc: Gray, David; Graham, Amy; Grantham, Nancy
Subject: RE: ON DEADLINE: CBS EVENING NEWS: TEXAS SUPERFUND SITES

Thank you for all this. Have a happy holiday!

From: Bowman, Liz [<mailto:Bowman.Liz@epa.gov>]
Sent: Monday, September 04, 2017 1:53 PM
To: Flickinger, Ian <FlickingerI@cbsnews.com>
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Hi Ian – David and I will work on getting this information to you. The 41 refers to the sites that were directly affected by Harvey or flood waters. We may have additional updates on the number of sites visited, etc. David, can you provide him the list of the 13 sites that have experienced flooding? Thanks – Liz

From: Flickinger, Ian [<mailto:FlickingerI@cbsnews.com>]
Sent: Monday, September 4, 2017 1:46 PM
To: Bowman, Liz <Bowman.Liz@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: ON DEADLINE: CBS EVENING NEWS: TEXAS SUPERFUND SITES

Hi Liz,

Thank you so much for your response. I am working in conjunction with the team on the ground – I work in the research department back in New York.

While they are touring the facilities with the experts, I am hoping to just confirm some details for accuracy on our end.

Would you be able to confirm that 13 sites experienced flooding due to Hurricane Harvey – and which 13 were they?

Lastly, can you confirm that there are 41 superfund sites in Texas? Based on the “Superfund site search” on the EPA website, there are 66 in total. I’d like to make sure we have the correct totals.

Thanks again for all your help!

Ian

From: Bowman, Liz [<mailto:Bowman.Liz@epa.gov>]
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To: Flickinger, Ian <FlickingerI@cbsnews.com>; Press <Press@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: ON DEADLINE: CBS EVENING NEWS: TEXAS SUPERFUND SITES

Hi there – CBS news will be on site with experts at Superfunds today. Please contact the CBS national news staff who are on the ground. Thanks – Liz

From: Flickinger, Ian [<mailto:FlickingerI@cbsnews.com>]
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To: Press <Press@epa.gov>
Subject: ON DEADLINE: CBS EVENING NEWS: TEXAS SUPERFUND SITES
Importance: High

Hello,

I hope all is well. I work in the research department at the CBS Evening News – I'm hoping someone can give me some guidance regarding superfund sites in Texas.

I see in the EPA's response to the Associated Press story from this weekend that there are "41 Superfund sites – 28 of those sites show no damage, and 13 have experienced flooding."

Can we confirm that those numbers still hold? And have the names of the 13 locations that experienced flooding been released yet? Also, I was looking at the list of recorded superfund sites on the EPA website, and the total for Texas was much higher – **66** sites in total. Do 23 of those sites no longer exist? Any guidance with this would be incredibly helpful.

Thanks in advance for your help with this, and have a wonderful holiday.

Best,
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